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HENRY SIMONSON ENDS A LONG LIFE

ONE OF DIXON'S OLDEST RESIDENTS PASSED TO REST YESTERDAY.

DIED SUDDENLY IN ARM CHAIR

Was Born on Staten Island, As Were His Parents Before Him—Descended From Colonial Stock—Funeral Will Be Held Saturday Afternoon.

Henry Simonson, one of the oldest residents of this city, died at his home on the Franklin Grove road, Thursday at 3 p. m. He had not been seriously ill until the last few days and the end came suddenly while he was sitting up in a chair.

Henry Simonson was born April 10, 1821, on Staten Island, now the borough of Richmond New York City. His father, Paul Simonson, and his mother, Elizabeth, were both born on Staten Island and were both descended from the first colonial settlers. The son, Henry, came to Dixon in 1857 and resided here ever since. He was united in marriage to Caroline Roe of West New Brighton on Sept. 20, 1847, and she preceded him in death about 18 years ago.

He leaves three children, Mrs. R. P. Courtright, 805 Peoria avenue; A. E. Simonson, 314 Eighth street, and Frank L. Simonson, who resided with his father. Four grandchildren, B. F. Simonson of Ida Grove, Ia.; Guy H. Simonson of Chicago; Caroline and Genevieve Simonson, survive.

The funeral will be held from the residence of R. P. Courtright Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. A. B. Whitcombe officiating. Interment at Oakwood. No flowers.

With the possible exception of Col. Thomas Morgan and S. C. Eells, Mr. Simonson was the oldest resident of this city at the time of his death. He was 91 years, 5 months and 5 days old at the time of his death.

MURDER W. B. MACMASTER

Body of U. S. Vice-Consul at Cartagena Riddled With Gunshot.

Bogota, Colombia, Aug. 16.—Investigation of the death of William B. MacMaster, the United States vice-consul at Cartagena, whose body, riddled with gunshot, was found a few miles outside of that city, has proved without doubt that he was murdered. No clue as to the perpetrators of the crime, which was committed while Mr. MacMaster was on a hunting trip, have been discovered.

WILSON UPHELD IN HOUSE

Members Sustain Illinois Congressman's Right to His Seat.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The house, adopting the report of the elections committee, sustained the right of William W. Wilson, a Republican of Chicago, to retain his seat as representative of the Third Illinois district.

World's Pacing Record Broken.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 16.—A world's record for the two fastest heats paced in a race was broken at the closing of the Grand Circuit at the Fort Erie track. The honor went to Evelyn W., driven by Bert Shank of North Randall, Ohio. The mare covered the first mile in 2:03 flat. In the second heat Evelyn W., forced to extend herself, made the mile in 2:02 1/4.

FIND RICH GOLD DEPOSITS

Cloudburst Opens Up Big Vein of Ore in New Mexico.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 16.—Gold deposits of vast extent lying almost at the grass roots in a vein four feet wide, the ore assaying from \$700 to \$2,250 a ton, are said to have been uncovered by a cloudburst in northern New Mexico within twenty miles of the southern boundary of Colorado, and experienced mining men of the early days in Cripple Creek declare that the discovery assures the upbuilding of a mining camp as great as Cripple Creek.

LITTLE GIRL WAS INJURED.

Irene, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Penn., suffered a painful accident yesterday when she fell from a pile of timbers. It was thought at first that she had been injured internally, but on examination the physician found there were no serious wounds and that she would be out in a few days.

JAMES WICKERSHAM.



James Wickersham has been re-elected delegate to congress from Alaska by a substantial majority. He is a Progressive.

WOMAN KILLS HER RIVAL

Nashville Matron Murders Daughter of Chaplain of Confederate Vets.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 16.—Mrs. Alva Cave, daughter-in-law of Rev. R. Lin Cave, chaplain general of the United Confederate Veterans, was murdered here and Mrs. J. G. Jones, aged twenty-four, is in jail accused of the killing, which is said to have been impelled by jealousy. The victim was a widow, thirty years old, and well known in southern cities. Mrs. Jones had filed a suit for divorce and was living apart from her husband.

U. S. MAY HELP "KID MC'COY"

Belgium Accused of Blunder in Arrest of Pugilist.

London, Aug. 16.—It is thought the United States government may intervene in the case of "Kid" McCoy (Norman Selby), the American boxer, arrested July 25 on an extradition warrant on a charge of larceny alleged to have been committed at Ostend, but who later was released on bail. Sheldon L. Crossby, third secretary of the United States embassy, was present at Bow street police court when McCoy was again brought up.

PENSIONS PAID TO MORROW

House Agrees to Senate's Demands and Bill Rushed to Taft.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Pensions for thousands of veterans, held up by disagreement between the house and senate over the \$160,000,000 pension appropriation bill, may be paid tomorrow. The house agreed to the senate's demand to abolish the eighteen outlying pension agencies on February 1 and passed the bill with one minor amendment, which will be adjusted at once. President Taft is expected to sign it immediately.

\$750 Reward for Bank Robbers.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Aug. 16.—Seven hundred and fifty dollars reward has been offered for the capture of the two men who robbed the First State bank at Cohasset, Minn., of about \$1,600 in currency.

Brandt Again Seeks Freedom.

Danemora, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Folk E. Brandt, former valet of Mortimer E. Schiff, who is serving a 30-year term in Clinton prison for burglary of the Schiff residence, is making another attempt to secure freedom.

SENDS UTAH FRUIT.

Elmer Byers of Palmyra this week received a large box of apricots, cherries and other fruit from Al. Seavey, a former resident of Palmyra. The fruit was raised on the Seavey ranch in Utah, and was welcomed by the Byers family.

WORD OF DEATH RECEIVED.

Word has been received here that A. C. Gibson, uncle of Frank L. and A. E. Simonson and Mrs. R. P. Courtright, died August 3 in New York City, aged 85 years. He was the sole surviving executor of the will of the late B. F. Roe, grandfather of the above.

A SHOOTING AFFRAY.

A report that there had been a shooting affray in Goose Hollow this morning early gained circulation today about town. Investigation shows that Officer John Fitzsimmons shot at a dog two or three times, which probably gave foundation for the rumors.

TAFT LECTURES IN CONGRESS IN VETO

Disapproves Bill to Drop Commerce Court and Limit Civil Service Tenure.

BLAME ON THE LAWMAKERS

Substantive Legislation in Supply Measures Rapped—Chief Executive's Act Ties Up Own Salary, Congressmen and Judges.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The house failed to pass the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill over the veto of President Taft by a vote of 153 to 107.

The defection of 17 Democrats who ignored the appeal of Leader Underwood and other Democratic leaders prevented the house from passing the bill containing a clause limiting government employees to seven-year terms and abolishing the commerce court. Thirteen Progressive Republicans voted on the Democratic side.

Washington, Aug. 16.—President Taft returned to the house with a veto message the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, because of its amendments to abolish the commerce court and limit the tenure of office of civil service employees to seven years. The cabinet read and approved the president's message earlier in the day.

The president's veto is sure to extend the session of congress. Some members of the house believe the bill can be passed over his disapproval, as were the wool and steel tariff bills. None of the leaders, however, think that would be possible in the senate. One effect of Mr. Taft's veto of the bill is to hold up his own pay, that of every member of congress, every federal judge and every employee of the United States courts. Some leaders have proposed a plan of passing a resolution to extend all last year's appropriations to December 2 and adjourn congress without passing the bill.

Taft Strong in Condemnation.

Mr. Taft's message was strong in its condemnation of the way congress had attached special legislation to an annual appropriation bill. The president wrote that he approved any system of promoting efficiency in the civil service and favored a civil pension system, but could not approve legislation to turn out of office employees who had given their best years to the government. The president defended the commerce court vigorously and wrote that opposition to it came from those who had not been in sympathy with its decisions. He wrote: "When it is thought wise by congress to include in general supply bills important substantive legislation and the executive cannot approve such legislation it is his constitutional duty to return the bill with his objections, and the responsibility for delay in the appropriation of the necessary expenses to run the government cannot rest upon the executive, but must be put where it belongs, upon the majority in each house of congress."

Not for Recall of Judges.

"I am utterly opposed to the abolition of a court because its decisions may not always meet the approval of a majority of the legislature. It is introducing a recall of the judiciary which in its way is quite as objectionable as the ordinary popular method proposed."

When the reading of the veto was finished Representative Stephens of Nebraska introduced a resolution for the passage of any vetoed measure by a majority vote. A two-thirds vote of both houses is now required. Mr. Stephens declared Mr. Taft had used the veto power more than it had been used in the first half century of the nation's history. He added that the president of France had no veto power and that while the king of England enjoyed the privilege he "had not dared to use it" for 200 years.

ACCEPTS NEW POSITION.

Clarence E. Hill has resigned his position with the Burr Brothers at Rockford and left yesterday for Boone, Iowa, to accept a position as commercial salesman for the gas and coke company there.

MOVE TO ELKHART.

Mrs. L. E. Boos is packing her household goods preparatory to moving to Elkhart, Ind., where she will join her husband, who is foreman of the ironing department of the Gosard corset factory.

MARIGOLD GETS THIRD MONEY.

Marigold won third money in the 2:13 trot at Buffalo yesterday. The race went six heats, the former Dixon mare finishing second in the first two, first in the third and third in the remaining three heats.

POOR BOAT HANDLING BREAKS CABLE FLOATS

CLUMSINESS OR CARELESSNESS RESULTED IN DAMAGE TO CABLE SUPPORTS.

A couple of careless and not altogether responsible boat owners are in for a bit of trouble if sufficient proof can be secured to convict them of running into the floats which support the new cable which has been stretched across the river above the dam. One float on the north end of the cable was entirely demolished when a boatman, after drifting against the cable—which cable by the way probably prevented him going over the dam—started his engine and ran into the wooden float, completely demolishing it. Last night two floats on the south end of the cable were broken when a fellow apparently drove into them deliberately. The cable was put across the river to save human lives and not for fresh and ignorant boat owners to drive into.

MILITIA WILL USE STERLING RANGE

DIXON AND OTHER 6TH REG. COMPANIES WILL PRACTICE IN STERLING.

Sterling will be the Mecca for the Sixth regiment marksmen for the remainder of the season, orders having been received today by Capt. Ben. Eick, regimental ordnance officer, to the effect that all of the companies in the regiment with the exception of three had been ordered to Camp Palmer range, this city, for practice on the long distance ranges.

Three Go Off to Places.

Company L of Freeport will shoot on the Camp Almond range, Rockford; Genesee will shoot on its own range, while Oak Park will shoot at Camp Logan. Moline is objecting strenuously to using the Sterling range, claiming that Genesee is easier to reach. Whether the order will be rescinded in this instance is doubtful. The nine companies to shoot here are Dixon, Galena, Rock Island, Kewanee, Sterling, Morrison, Galesburg, Monmouth and Moline.

The work on the long distances will be in charge of Capt. Eick who will provide men to work the range upon notification by the company's commanders.

The range in this city and that at Genesee are the only ones having the long distances.—Sterling Gazette.

PROGRESSIVES MEET

IN PALMYRA
There will be a meeting of the Progressives in Palmyra town hall on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, to which everyone is invited.

Attorneys Clyde Smith and John E. Erwin will be the speakers of the evening, and short talks will be made by others in attendance. Louis Bryan, committeeman from Palmyra, will have charge of the meeting.

GRAVES CENTER NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham have had their household furniture moved from Albany, his state, to Graves Center. They will take up their residence at Willowhurst, near the corner of Vesuvius avenue and the Jordan road. They will be at home to their friends after Sept. 1st.

Mayor Graves expresses himself as well pleased at this increment of population, and expresses his firm belief that the greater the population, the larger the number of people.

The United States government now has three mail boxes erected in Graves Center, one of which his devoted exclusively to foreign mail.

♦♦♦♦♦ Illinois: Local rains today; ♦♦♦♦♦ probably fair tomorrow; warm; ♦♦♦♦♦ in the northern portion and ♦♦♦♦♦ moderate east to south winds. ♦♦♦♦♦ Sunrise, 4:59; sunset, 6:49; ♦♦♦♦♦ moonset, 8:59. ♦♦♦♦♦

ATTENDED FUNERAL.

Among the Dixonites who attended the funeral of Charles Windom of Sterling yesterday were Chas. Slain and C. Gonneman.

DARROW'S FINAL PLEA DRAMATIC

Labor Attorney Ends Fight to Free Self of Bribery Charge.

TWO JURORS SHED TEARS

District Attorney Fredericks Ends His Address for Prosecution Today—Judge Charges Jury, Which Will Then Take Case.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 16.—Clarence S. Darrow, who for the past three months has been on trial in the superior court on an indictment charging bribery of jurors in the McNamara case, gave one of the most brilliant oratorical efforts while presenting his closing arguments that ever has been heard in a local court.

Jurors Shed Tears.

There was hardly a dry eye in the courtroom when the famous labor lawyer of Chicago concluded his pleadings. Two of the jurors, Williams and Lammers, shed tears; Associate Counsel Appel sat at the attorney's table and cried like a child, and even District Attorney Fredericks was visibly affected.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said Darrow, in making his final plea, "If you convict me it must be on Franklin's statement that on November 28 Job Harriman gave me \$4,000 and I gave it to him for the bribery."

Darrow's Final Plea Dramatic.

The closing of Darrow's plea was dramatic in the extreme. "If you convict me, gentlemen, which I know you won't, but if you should," said Darrow in closing, "there will be people who will applaud you for your act, but if, in your judgment and your wisdom and your humanity, you believe me innocent and return a verdict of not guilty in this case, as I know you will, from thousands and tens of thousands, and ye, perhaps millions of the weak and the poor and the helpless throughout the world will give thanks to this jury for protecting me. I know that deep down in the mines are workmen I have helped and I have served who are giving their prayers for my distress. I know that in factories and in mills and in workshops and in stores are thousands of people who believe in me and who love me, and are looking to this jury to vindicate my name. I know that if you find me not guilty, I know that over these mountain peaks and across your broad valleys and across the wide Pacific will be thousands of men and women, yea, and little children, who will give their thanks to you."

District Attorney Fredericks Speaks. To take the jury after Darrow's wonderful appeal had touched their feelings, as it was apparent that it had, was the task of District Attorney Fredericks, who began the final appeal for the prosecution.

Referring to Darrow's plea, Fredericks commented: "I want to tell you, gentlemen," he said to the jury, "that you have listened to one of the most marvelous addresses, orations or pleas ever delivered in any courtroom when you listened to Mr. Darrow. Plausible, eloquent, his thirty-five years of training back of it, his tremendous interest in it made it indeed a wonderful plea."

District Attorney Fredericks closed his argument before the jury this afternoon. Judge Hutton immediately commenced his instructions to the jury and the case will then be in their hands tonight.

LOCAL BOARD CONSIDERS OBJECTIONS

NO ACTION TAKEN, HOWEVER—WORK WILL PROBABLY BE DONE.

The board of local improvements met this afternoon at the city hall to consider objections to the proposed improvements provided for in Ordinances Nos. 134, 135 and 136, which are for sewer extensions on the north and south sides of the river and for paving Second and Third streets and Ottawa avenue around the court house. At 3 o'clock nothing definite had been done on any of the propositions. A few objectors were present, but it is not thought the sentiment against the work will result in its being abandoned by the board.

KITE FLEW HIGH.

A large box kite which was sent up by the boys at the Y. M. C. A. this morning attracted considerable attention. The kite was at a great height and carried 2,000 feet of string.

SENATOR BRANDEGEE.



Frank B. Brandegee, United States senator from Connecticut, has led the opposition in the senate to the parts of the Panama canal bill which provide that American ships shall be exempt from the payment of canal tolls.

RELATIVES TAKE DEMENTED MAN

ERNEST HAHN TAKEN TO FREPORT TODAY—IS MUCH IMPROVED.

Emil Hahn of Fremont, Neb., and Frederick Sherman of Pekin arrived in Dixon during the night, being called here by the unfortunate condition of Ernest Hahn, who suffered a mental derangement while staying at the Dewey hotel, mention of which was made in this paper last evening. They found the suffering man much improved and accordingly started for Fremont with him this noon.

119 DIE AS SHIPS SINK

Fourteen Fishing Boats Sunk in Terrific Gale Off Spanish Coast.

Bilboa, Spain, Aug. 16.—One hundred and nineteen Spanish fishermen belonging to this port lost their lives by the sinking of fourteen fishing boats. The vessels sank during a terrible storm which has raged along the Spanish coast for the last few days. The hurricane, which has now abated, caused immense havoc in the coast towns.

U. S. TROOPS TO BORDER

Cavalry Force at Fort Bliss Is Increased to Meet Rebels.

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 16.—The Third squadron of the Third United States cavalry, consisting of troops I, K and M, has been ordered by Colonel Steever to report immediately at Fort Bliss with 30 days' rations for border service. Preparations are being made to entrain these troops.

King Victor's Mother Dies.

Rome, Italy, Aug. 16.—Elizabeth, dowager duchess of Genoa, the grandmother of Victor Emmanuel III., the present king of Italy, and mother of Dowager Queen Margherita, died here.

PRINCE MAY VISIT U. S.

King George's Son Likely to Return to England Through New York.

London, Aug. 16.—The prince of Wales and his brother Albert will visit the United States next year, according to an unofficial report in circulation here. It is stated that the boys, accompanied by Henry P. Hansell, their tutor, will visit their great-uncle, the duke of Connaught, in Canada during the summer of 1913, and will return by way of the United States, remaining a few days in New York before embarking for England.

Edwin Austin Abbey Left \$134,050.

New York, Aug. 16.—Edwin Austin Abbey, the American artist, who died in London on August 1, 1911, left an estate valued at \$134,050. His widow, May Gertrude Abbey, is the sole legatee.

STONE FOR FRONT IS HERE.

The stone for the ornamentation of the front of the Warner & Brooker building, the non-arrival of which has delayed the completion of the structure for several days, has arrived and the masons are now rushing the work.

TEACHER'S MEETINGS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

NEW RULING FOR THE CONVENTION WAS ANNOUNCED TODAY.

URGES PUPILS TO CONTINUE

Superintendent Miller Beseeches Pupils to Continue School Work—Sends Circular Postal to Grammar School Graduates.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller today announced a new rule for the sessions of the teachers' institute, which will convene in this city next week, in that this year all conferences and sessions will be open to the public. The program this year is exceptionally strong and will be of special importance to all who are interested in the progress of the public schools.

The following circular greeting, which is a copy of those sent out today by the county superintendent, is self-explanatory:

To the Graduate Addressed:

My Dear Young Friend—Although you have pursued to completion the grammar grade course of study for the common schools of Lee county, this office still feels an abiding interest in you, and begs to urge you to keep your education unbroken. I trust the counsel of your parents and friends has been in harmony with the spirit of this postal-letter, and that you will enter some high school this fall, if possible. If for any reason this plan is not feasible, re-enter your home school, and be glad for the opportunity of a strong review. These years of your life come not back again, and yours is indeed the privilege of making the very best preparation possible for the duties of life. Such duties must and will confront you.

"Like as the fading image of a dream,
Whose shadows still do linger on our mind;
So shall the memory of our school days seem,
As silent time shall leave them far behind."

Very sincerely your friend,
L. W. MILLER,
County Superintendent,
Dixon, Ill., August 15, 1912.

IMPROVE HALL INTERIOR.

Extensive improvements, which should add to the popularity of the hall, are being made at the Rosbrook hall. The raised spectators' and orchestra stand at the north side of the room has been torn out and the orchestra stand has been suspended from the center of the hall.

MILITARY MUSIC TOMORROW.

Victor Herbert's stirring military march, "Under the Flag of Victory," as played and featured by his famous orchestra, will be published by the Telegraph tomorrow as its musical supplement. The announcement that the march is one of Herbert's leaders is sufficient to arouse the interest of music lovers.

STEAM VULCANIZING PLANT READY FOR BUSINESS

Max Fredenberg, who has rented the rooms formerly occupied by the C. G. Smith Plumbing company, is installing machinery today and ready to take orders for the vulcanizing by steam of automobile casings and tubes. By this method new rubber is melted into the break in the worn tire and made one solid piece, thus making the old tire practically as good as new. Mr. Fredenberg is an experienced man and will have a competent assistant.

Town Clerk, Constable and Detective W. V. E. Steel returned this morning from a business trip in Ogles county.

Joseph Bettendorff of Sublette was here today.

Max Lett was in Amboy today on business.

Julius Gottlieb has returned from a short business visit in Chicago.

The condition of Mrs. Michael Long is not improved.

Social Happenings

August 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

Have a discriminating mind, and are a keen, subtle, powerful reasoner, but more through intuition than intellect. In religious matters and tendencies a John rather than a Peter. Can be secretive and conceal your thoughts. Only way to make you show your hand is to arouse your temper and thus throw you off your guard. Are courageous to the extreme.

AUGUST 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

Are dominating, persistent, determined to have your way; not always sincere. If not a scholar, you have a forceful, deep, ingenious way of carrying conviction with you. Can stand some flattery; have much executive ability, and the faculty of looking out for yourself. Are determined and industriously work to gain your ends. Fond of travel, and a great lover of music.

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

May have a fiery temper, but it is soon over. Can be led, but not driven. Strong psychic power; energetic, aspiring, have no use for mediocrity. Demonstrative in affection, home loving, social, devoted to family, some times pessimistic. Very popular, particularly with those near you socially. Faithful to those you love; you are fond of travel and moving about.

Leave for Minneapolis.

Wm. Philpott will leave Sunday for Minneapolis via automobile. Many Dixon friends greatly regret the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Philpott.

Motored to Dixon.

Shugart Thackaberry, Lloyd Carolus, Miss Ann Auning and Miss Ethel Russell motored to Dixon Tuesday. Sterling Standard.

Picnic at Lowell.

Mrs. Charles Ruggles entertained a few friends yesterday with a picnic at Lowell park, in honor of her guest Miss Maud Cheney, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Guest at Summer Home.

Miss Marian Mowry is a guest of Miss Ruth Crawford at their summer home near Nachusa.

Shower for Miss Puterbaugh.

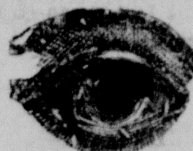
The members of the choir and the young people of the Christian church surprised Miss Helen Puterbaugh at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Dixon, Wednesday evening, the affair being a miscellaneous shower to Miss Puterbaugh, whose marriage to Guy R. Park, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., has been announced to occur this month. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. The evening was spent in games and music, and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Guests at Kennedy Home.

Mrs. J. C. Kennedy entertained her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Dale and Isabelle, and son, Ralph of Rockford, Mrs. Fred Craid and son Donald of Amboy and the Misses Yanson of Rockford at her home the fore part of this week.

Scramble Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCleary, Perry Wilhelm and family, Mrs. Ripley and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long of Decatur enjoyed a scramble supper last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Long, North Galena avenue.



DON'T USE GLASSES

unless you need them! Many people do not need glasses to see but they may need them to prevent

Eyestrain

and headaches, nervous ill, indigestion and many other troubles resulting from having to work with

Defective Eyes

Get your eyes right and your health will be better. Appointments secure prompt attention.

PHONE 160

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,

Neurologist and Health Instructor,
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.

Entertained at Supper.

Mrs. F. J. Findler entertained at supper last evening Mrs. Jerome McKenney and Miss Carney of Chicago.

Dixon Guests.

Mrs. Augusta Johnson and daughters, Ruby and Agnes, of Rockford are visiting at the Kling home on Sixth street.

Motored to Mt. Carroll.

Rev. and Mrs. F. D. Stone and son, Denton, motored to Mt. Carroll yesterday for a week's visit with Mrs. Stone's parents.

Visiting in Morrison.

Mrs. Walter Preston and children went to Morrison yesterday for a two weeks' visit at the home of her brother, M. J. Fielding.

Entertained for Guest.

Mrs. E. M. Goodsell of North Galena avenue, entertained a few ladies at bridge Thursday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Hostler, of Chicago.

At Warner Cottage.

A number of ladies were entertained at the Warner cottage, Satus, yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. E. Hostler, who is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.

Entertained.

The members of the Sunshine Sewing circle of the St. James Lutheran church, with their mothers, were entertained yesterday afternoon at the Samuel Patterson home on the Chicago road.

Heimbuch-Weistead.

Charles Weistead of this city and Miss Vera Heimbuch were married in Freeport yesterday at the home of the bride, the Rev. Elder of Grace Evangelical church performing the ceremony. They were attended by Ray Frazer and Miss Helen Heimbuch.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of blue silk crepe de mere trimmed with white lace and carried a bouquet of white roses.

A most tempting wedding breakfast was served, after which the happy young couple left for their home in this city, where they will reside on the North Side.

Their many friends in this city and Freeport join in wishing them long life and prosperity.

To Visit in Antioch.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burkett of Lincoln, Neb., and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Russell of Great Bend, Kas., who have been visiting at the D. E. and L. E. Burkett homes, left today for a visit with a brother in Antioch, Ill. Mrs. Russell has been studying in Vienna and she and her parents are returning from abroad and visiting relatives enroute.

Launch Ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Breidling and daughters, Grace and Florence, of this city, and their guest, Miss Marie Hitch of Springfield, this state, enroute.—Sterling Gazette.

Motored to Compton.

George Fuestman, Mrs. Katherine Fuestman and daughters, Katherine and Oellie, drove to Compton yesterday in their auto, taking Mrs. Weisenel and children, who have been guests at the Fuestman home, to their home at that place.

Enjoying Camp Life.

Mesdames W. R. Parker, A. E. Simonson and John Fellows are enjoying a couple of weeks' outing at their camp near Grand Detour. They entertained at camp yesterday Mrs. Lydia Parks and brother and Mrs. Lee Read.

Six o'Clock Dinner.

Dan W. McKenney entertained at his home, 520 East Morgan street, with a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening for Guy R. Park, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., who is soon to leave for Fremont, Neb., to take a position with the Y. there, and who will take with him a bride. The other guests were Arthur Bohn of the City National bank and Stanley Cryor.

To Visit at Richmond.

Miss Marguerite Lawson and Master Gerald Lawson left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with friends at Richmond, this state, and Twin Lakes, Wis.

Leaves for Visit.

After a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Lawson and family, Mrs. I. L. Martin left the first of the week to visit relatives in Ottawa, Morris, Cornell and Chicago, before returning to her home at Kansas City. Miss Leah Lawson accom-

panied her as far as Cornell, where she will visit with relatives until the first of September.

Entertained for Mrs. Beam.

Mrs. W. J. Withers and Miss Anna Anderson entertained a few friends last evening at the home of Miss Withers in honor of Mrs. Howard Beam of New York.

Picnic for Miss Phalen.

A number of girls enjoyed a picnic dinner yesterday at the Assembly park for Miss Mazie Paalen of Chicago, who is visiting Dixon relatives and friends.

Launch Ride and Supper.

Messrs. Boynton and Dave Law and Misses Lucy Badger and Ruth Smith enjoyed a launch ride and picnic supper up the river Wednesday evening.

Entertained at Luncheon.

Mrs. E. A. Sickels entertained a number of ladies at luncheon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burkett of Lincoln, Neb., and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Russell of Great Bend, Kas., who have been visiting at the homes of D. E. and Supervisor Burkett, left this morning for Antioch, Ill., where they will visit a few days with Mr. Burkett's brother.

Mrs. Russell and her mother have recently returned from a trip abroad, where Mrs. Russell studied music at Vienna for two years and her husband studied medicine. They also visit several places in England and Italy and other countries during their trip.

Mr. Burkett was a former resident of South Dixon, residing on the Patrick Meeks farm near the St. James church and attended school at the Red Brick. He was the son of the late Peter Burkett.

On Lake Trip.

Mrs. Eustace Shaw, son Robert Eustace and Mrs. A. S. Hyde left Chicago today on the steamer Manitou for Mackinac Island.

Dance Saturday Night.

The Saturday Night Dancing club will hold the regular Saturday night dance at Rosbrook hall tomorrow night. Slothower's orchestra will furnish the music.

Entertained for Mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Hanley, at their home at 88 Grant avenue, very delightfully entertained a few friends with a 6 o'clock dinner last evening in honor of Mrs. Hanley's mother, Mrs. Connor. The event was in celebration of Mrs. Connor's 71st birthday. Among those at the table were Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Payne, Sterling; Lyman Finton, Denver, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Minnihan.

Beefsteak Fry.

Misses Marie Leslie, Corinne Eichler, Neva Phillips and Vivian Glessner and Messrs. Lloyd Miller, John Moore, John Hanke and Glen Ryerson are enjoying a beefsteak fry at Lowell park this evening.

Dixon Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McGlaughlin of Aurora are visiting friends and relatives in Dixon. Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Webster Poole and Mr. and Mrs. McGlaughlin motored to Eldena in the Poole car. Mr. McGlaughlin came to Dixon to enjoy the fishing in Rock river.

Dance at Illini Hall.

The regular Friday night dance will be given at Illini hall, Grand Detour, this evening. Dr. Ashley M. Hewitt came out from Chicago today to have charge of the affair. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

At McGrath Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilday of Sterling were guests yesterday at the Philip McGrath home.

To Visit in Freeport.

Miss Vera Slothower will leave for Freeport Sunday to visit some time with Miss Eunice Follett.

Visit in the Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and family, Mrs. Jennie Nettz of Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moses and family of Aurora and Mrs. Ray Bennett of Morrison are visiting at the John C. Bennett home in the Kingdom.

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State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1912.

Mary A. Brookner vs. George K. Brookner.—In Chancery. Gen. No. 2972.

Affidavit of non-residence of George K. Brookner having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the Complainant filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 16th day of August, 1912, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the Third Monday of the month of September, A. D. 1912, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

WM. B. McMAHAN,

Clerk.

Dixon, Illinois, August 16th, 1912. Harry Edwards, Compt's Sol.

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Making Artificial Diamonds.

The minute artificial diamonds of Moissan were produced by causing the carbon of molten iron to crystallize out under great pressure. A Berlin chemist, Dr. W. von Bolton, now uses coal gas, or other gaseous carbon compound, and on decomposing it by the action of mercury vapor obtains carbon both in the amorphous form and as diamond dust. By introducing a diamond chip as a nucleus or mother crystal, it is expected a diamond growth of appreciable size can be brought about. In the experiment made, the mercury was supplied by sodium amalgam, which was placed in a long testing tube under a coating of water-glass solution and amorphous diamond dust, and the tube was kept at 100 degrees C. while a slow current of coal gas was passed through for one month. The brilliant crystals formed, too small for analysis, burned in oxygen like diamonds.

He Couldn't Talk.

At Carnegie Music hall in Pittsburgh one day an old gentleman was pointed out to a girl with the information that he had once met the great composer, Rossini. The girl was a musical enthusiast and she became greatly excited. She sought an introduction to the old gentleman. "I am told that you once met the great composer, Rossini," she cried. "Yes," said the old man, "I met him once."

"You met the great composer of 'William Tell'?" "The same." "How grand! How very romantic! And would you please tell me what Rossini had to say?" "Well, he didn't have very much to say. He was eating spaghetti at the time, and you know that doesn't facilitate conversation."



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City In Brief

Fred Wagner of Ashton was here Thursday.

Miss Lulu Baughman is visiting in Sterling.

Miss Anna O'Malley is spending a few days in Sterling.

Attorney J. W. Johnson of Sterling was a business visitor here yesterday.

Harry Roe went to Chicago this morning for a short visit.

Mrs. H. M. Eicholtz and children of Nachusa were visitors in Dixon yesterday.

Charles Sworn went to Chicago today.

N. H. Webster and W. W. Trautman will go to Freeport this evening to attend the meeting of the O. R. T. in that city.

John Elsie of Sterling was here yesterday.

Sam Bacharach and Max Rosenthal were among the Dixonites who watched the Chicago Cubs trim the New York Giants 5 to 1 yesterday afternoon.

Miss Harriet Peters of Chicago is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chare, 1204 Van Buren and First street.

Master Howard Peters of Chicago is spending his vacation with Earl Chare.

F. A. Watson came out from Chicago yesterday for a short visit.

Mrs. Charles Slain and family have gone to the Patrick Lally home in Marion for a short visit.

S. J. Whetston of Steward visited Dixon friends and transacted business here yesterday.

Ex-Representative J. B. Castle and wife of Sandwich were visitors here last evening.

John J. Wagner and John, William and Conrad Krug of Bradford township were business visitors here last evening.

Attorney John Devine was a business visitor in Sterling today.

Guy Simonson will arrive from Chicago this evening to attend the funeral of his grandfather, Henry Simonson.

—Outing Hats, 50 and 75 cents, at Mrs. Miller's, 314 West First St.

Robert Bly of Delan, Fla., is visiting Dixon friends.

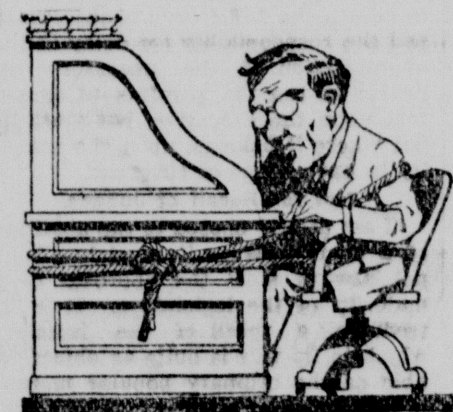
B. W. Tucker of Chicago was here yesterday on business.

Grace McGlaughlin of Eldena was in Dixon yesterday.

Mrs. Wicher and daughter of the county home were in town yesterday.

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DEMENTTOWN

In the words of Eli Rosenthal: I won't be home 'till Sunday. Come on you Cubs!

Wouldn't it be a joke if both candidates for states attorney, coroner and circuit clerk would accept the invitation of the progressives and come over. Who would be their candidate?

What goes up must come down, but there are plenty of would-be gardeners in Dixon who will tell you the rule cannot be reversed.

There are a number of real patriots in Dixon who think that their vote is going to settle the presidential question.

There is one fellow who is worse than the gink who is so conservative that he falls over backward and he is the guy who is so radical that he bumps his nose.

And there isn't a man on the ave. who doesn't believe that if he had thought of it in time he could have become just as great a ball player as Heine Zimmerman et al.

"Man Convicted on His Own Testimony," chronicles an exchange. That man is just as foolish as the fellow who fixes the tail light on his auto so the police can read his number.

Goose Hollow Letter.

The trouble with the barbers of our place is that they are much better mandolin players.

Hank Purdy says a wise man will agree with his wife whether he does or not.

Miss Amy Startle says a show ain't no good unless it kin make her cry; and believe us, any show that kin squeeze a tear out of a veteran like Amy, who has been engaged just 24 times, is quite some show.

Jim Jenkins, who is a great Taft man, says that T. R. will call a mass convention some day to amend the Ten Commandments, and that by bolly there'll be a lot of ginks there to vote in favor of the amendments, too.

Big Doings Sunday.

What promises to be one of the most exciting ball games of the season will be pulled off Sunday when the Saloon Keepers of this city will meet the fast Illinois Central-Northwestern baseball team of this city at Dementtown park.

It has been the feeling among the saloon keepers for a long time that they have a fast team, a team that could beat the best of them, so they sent a challenge to the fastest team they could find in this city, namely, the Illinois Central-North Western.

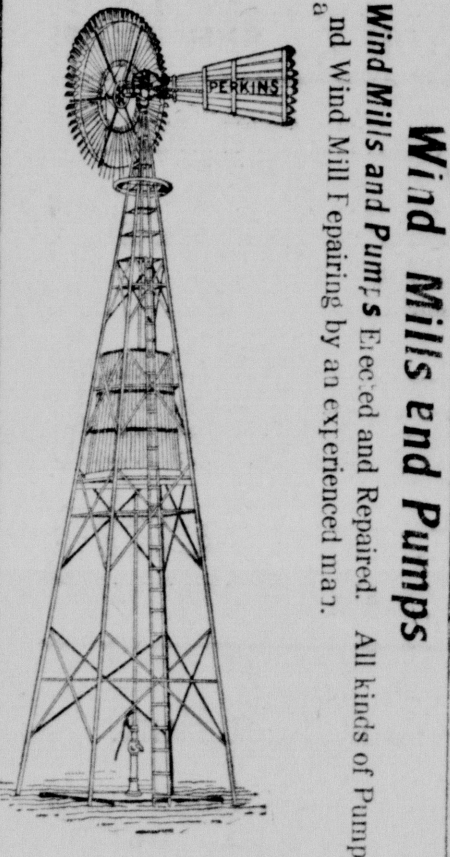
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MARINES TO STOP MANAGUA ATTACK

Men Landed at Corinto to Join Bluejackets in Capital City.

BOMBARDMENT IS CONTINUED

Women and Children Are Killed During Shelling of Town by Rebel Forces—Nicaraguans Repulse Attack But Lose Leader.

Corinto, Nicaragua, Aug. 16.—The United States collier Justin arrived here from Panama with a detachment of marines to reinforce the 100 American bluejackets of the gunboat Annapolis, now stationed in the beleaguered city of Managua.

Capt. Warren J. Terhune of the Annapolis, which is anchored at this port, landed the force of marines, which comprises 454 men and 11 officers, with Maj. Smedley D. Butler commanding. Captain Terhune is accompanying the expedition and will command the combined forces of Americans in their work of protecting the lives and property of American and other foreign residents of Managua.

The bombardment of the capital, which was begun last Sunday by the rebels under Generals Mena and Zeledon, still continues.

Cables Report of Bombardment. Washington, Aug. 16.—George T. Wetzel, the United States Minister at Nicaragua, has sent to the state department a detailed account of the bombardments as follows:

"Sunday morning, August 11, at four o'clock, General Zeledon commenced the bombardment of Managua from the vicinity of Momotombo in the east. At four in the afternoon General Rostran attacked the penitentiary with infantry and rapid fire guns in an attempt to liberate the prisoners, and at eight o'clock 100 men under cover of artillery fire attempted to enter the city from the lake, but were repulsed and twenty-five of them were captured.

Throughout the night the firing continued at intervals.

Shell President's Palace.

"At six o'clock in the morning of the 12th Zeledon renewed firing, dropping shell and solid shot into the city at the rate of twenty an hour, seemingly directed principally towards the president's palace. Of these only one reached the executive mansion and the president and his cabinet continued to perform their official duties. The Chilean consulate and the house of Collector General Ham were hit and the German consul suffered severely. The legation guard estimates that a total of 200 shells fell in the city, which resulted in the death and wounding of twelve women and children.

"By two o'clock the rebels appeared to have been generally repulsed, but at three General Zeledon's heavy guns resumed the firing. Two of the government boats effectively prevented any attack from the lake shore. The rebels' heavy guns continued to drop shells upon the houses after dark. Colonel Rostran was killed and Thomas is said to be seriously wounded, while Capt. Manuel Chamorro of the government forces was mortally wounded. Casualties among the rebels were reported to have been heavy. The only casualty among the Americans was the slight wounding of the American foreman of the electric plant, upon which the rebel fire was concentrated.

VOTE TO INDICT MEN

New York Grand Jury Then Awaits Schepps' Arrival.

Lieut. Becker, Four Alleged Gun Men, Jack Sullivan and William Shapiro Are Named.

New York, Aug. 16.—The grand jury has completed the evidence on which a blanket indictment charging murder had been drawn against Police Lieut. Charles Becker, the four gun men who are alleged to have shot Herman Rosenthal; Jack Sullivan and William Shapiro, driver of the car in which Rosenthal's slayers escaped. This indictment, which accuses the men named of planning and carrying out the premeditated assassination of the gambler, was voted by members of the grand jury, but was not signed, as a result of a request from District Attorney Whitman, who announced that he did not wish to close the evidence until he had had an opportunity to question Sam Schepps, now on his way here from Hot Springs in custody of Assistant District Attorney Robert J. Rubin and Detectives Albert Thomas and Robert J. Stewart.

Man and Wife Killed in Alps. London, Aug. 16.—H. O. Jones of Cambridge and his wife, who were honeymooning in the Swiss Alps, fell into a crevice on Freney glacier and were instantly killed. Professor Jones was married August 1.

Memorial to Pilgrim Fathers. Southampton, Aug. 16.—The foundation stone of the memorial to the Pilgrim Fathers was laid here. A large crowd attended, in which were numbers of Americans.

ORIGIN OF FAMOUS PHRASE

Belief that Common Political Term Sprang From a Horse Race Held in Tennessee.

The political term "dark horse" is thought to have had its origin in the following circumstances:

In the last century there lived in Tennessee a "cham" named Flynn, an elderly person who dealt in horses. Flynn generally contrived to own a speedy nag or two for racing purposes if he could arrange for "a good thing" during his peregrinations throughout the state.

The best of Flynn's flyers was a coal black stallion named Dusky Pete, almost a thoroughbred and able to go in the best of company.

One day Flynn visited a town where a race meeting was in progress. He entered Pete. The people, knowing nothing of the horse's antecedents and not being over impressed by his appearance, backed the local favorite heavily against the stranger.

Just as the beasts were being saddled for the race, a certain Judge McMinamee, who was the "oracle" of that part of the state, arrived on the course and was made one of the race judges.

As he took his place on the stand he was told of the folly of the owner of the strange entry. Running his eye over the track the judge instantly recognized Pete. "Gentlemen," said McMinamee, "there's a dark horse in this race, as you'll soon find out."

He was right, Pete, "the dark horse," lay back until the three-quarter pole was reached, when he went to the front with a rush and won the race.

JUST A MERE SUGGESTION

Huby's Plaint, However, Threatened to Develop into a First-Class Family Spat.

"Gertrude!"

"Yes, John."

"We've been married long enough now to talk plainly to each other."

"What's the matter now?"

"If I do something you don't like I want you to tell me of it, and if you do things I don't like I think I ought to tell you of them, too."

"I suppose I don't suit you at all?"

"Yes you do, but I think we ought to talk over our likes and dislikes. In that way we can get along so much better."

"John, I want you to understand right now that I was brought up every bit as well as you, and know how to behave. And as to my cooking, I can do as well as your mother ever did."

"I had hoped that you wouldn't lose your temper. But if you're going to act this way we may as well drop the matter right here."

"What is the matter, anyhow?"

"I only wanted to suggest that when you darn my socks it would be better for me if you would tie the knots on the outside, instead of the inside."

New York Police Mascot.

In addition to its official "yaller dog" mascot, Bum, the old Mulberry street police station has acquired another dog, known as Peg Post. He is also of an ochre tint, and his mysterious behavior has baffled the wisest sleuths in the station. When the men begin their tours on the stationary or "peg" posts at ten o'clock at night, the dog comes trotting from somewhere and takes up his station with whichever policeman on duty in the precinct suits his fancy for that particular night. Frequently he changes from one post to another, and remains on watch until the stationary posts give way to regular patrol at six in the morning. Then he trots away, and is not seen until the next night. Offers of bribes from the men's lunches have been repeatedly refused by Peg Post, and his agility has thus far prevented any one from learning the number of the dog license he wears on his collar. —New York Tribune.

Aid to the Unlovely.

"I try to be an efficient city directory," said the hotel clerk, "but balk at recommending a beauty doctor to women guests."

"That is one of the first things they want to know. Churches, theaters, even dressmakers can wait a few days, but the beauty doctor is an immediate necessity. Unfortunately, they do not get much satisfaction out of me. Any number of beauty specialists leave cards for distribution, but so many of them have been mixed up in lawsuits that I feel squeamish about delivering their cards. To satisfy my own conscience and the women at the same time I hand out a bunch of advertisements with the remark that I guess they are about all alike."

"Then they can pay their money and take their choice, and if they lose their hair and complexion, they can't come back on me for damages."

Largest Flying Fish.

The largest flying fish on record was served up for breakfast on the British warship Ardeola a short time ago. The Ardeola was homeward bound and was off the Canary Islands when a large school of flying fish was observed. They were apparently in full flight from some deep sea enemy and traveling rapidly. As the ship met and passed them several flew on board and were seized by the crew as welcome additions to the mess. One of the fish measured 15 inches; the largest flying fish ever seen before the Ardeola's catch have never exceeded 10 inches. The big one was fried for the captain's breakfast. Flying fish are very palatable and taste like trout.

Blasted Ambition

It was a hot day and Abe Shreter sat on a chair under the awning of Skinner's grocery, with his feet on the head of a barrel and his head nodding with drowsiness. Colonel Harper, who had come into town and left his mule hitched in front of the postoffice, came along on his way to the drug store and halted to say:

"That 'yo', Abe? I declar' to goodness but I didn't know 'yo' at first sight. Powerful hot day in town."

"Bless me, kurnel, bless me!" exclaimed Abe in reply, as he slowly lowered his legs to give the colonel the benefit of the barrel. "I was jest a-thinkin' about 'yo', kurnel—jest a-thinkin' and a-pondering. How's 'co'n a-getting on this weather?"

"Ought to be a little mo' rain, meb-be, but 'co'n isn't looking 'tall bad."

"And mebbe looking 'tall bad, I reckon to consider."

"Jest about hold their own, Abe; jest about."

"That's good, kurnel. If I can't hold my own I'm still glad to see other folks do it. Things are looking up a bit for me, however. These yere Pike county scandalizers seem to have got tired of throwing me down and jumping on my head, and mebbe I'll get a chance to draw a long breath. Dawg-one folks who ain't willing for other folks to get along!"

"Scandalize ain't right," said the colonel as he moved his hat to mop his forehead.

"Of co'se it ain't; of co'se not. Can't make a man better by scandalizing him—can't possibly do it. Can't put ambition into a man's soul by throwing him down every week or two. He's got to be encouraged if 'yo' want him to do his best. Have I been encouraged in this town, kurnel? Has Pike county ever extended her hand to help me climb up?"

"Reckon not, Abe."

"No, 'yo'; no, 'yo', 'cept by one solitary human being, whose name is Kurnel Harper. You run to 'co'n and mebbe, and 'yo' work 22 men on 'yo' plantation the year round, but that don't prevent you from seeing and realizing all sorts of situations. Firstly, I went into the late war as a private soldier. I came out the same thing. Dra't they pesky hides, but they were making captains and majors and kurnels, while I was pouring out my blood for love of country—that is, I was willing to pour, which is the same thing, I take it."

"'Bout the same, Abe," paternally replied the colonel, "except that the bullets don't hit 'yo'."

"When the wah ended I run for office, same as all the rest. They owed me an office for having laid down my life for my country, but what was my reward? Kurnel Harper, I reckon 'yo' can remember that I was knocked out—'listed 20 feet high—snowed under till 'yo' couldn't see the top of my hat. That's the way Pike county encouraged me to grab hold with both hands and climb to the top!"

"Yes, I remember about that," mused the colonel, as he watched a dog rolling over and over in the dusty street.

"Then I turned to law," continued Abe as he hitched the chair over to get a brace for his feet on a post of the veranda. "Kurnel Harper, nobody on the face of this big earth will ever know how I pinched and saved and starved and worked to get that law business down to a fine point. Did anybody encourage me? Not a critter. Not a pesky varmint had a kind word for me. If I'd known 'yo' during them struggling times 'yo' would have been the man to open 'yo' wallet and hand me out \$30 or so, and tell me to pay it back in my own good time. Yes, that would have been 'yo', kurnel."

"Yes, mebbe," doubtfully replied the colonel.

"Wall, I got to be a lawyer. Then what? I wanted practice. I finally got a case and went into court with it, but the pesky jury was lying in ambush to throw me down. Yes, 'yo'—had the purtiest, nicest, cleanest case 'yo' ever heard tell of, and that jury was bound by law and evidence to bring in a verdict for me, but I got the cold foot instead. They brought my client in guilty of stealing a hawg when he was 30 miles away at the time, at the bedside of his dying mother. Do 'yo' call that encouraging a young man, kurnel? Was that giving me a show to climb up?"

"Can't skassly call it that, Abe, but if I remember right, they found fresh pork in 'yo' client's house."

"They found meat there, of co'se, but was it the meat of that yere hawg or some other? They never stopped to consider, kurnel—jest threw the verdict agin me in order to crush me out. Same way in the second case, and the third and fo'th. No matter how many witnesses I had or how plain I made my case, no Pike county jury would find for me. How many times have 'yo' to flop a young man, Kurnel Harper, to kill off his ambition and take the fight out of him?"

"'Bout 'fo'th times, I reckon."

"Jest about 'fo'th times, kurnel. After that 'fo'th flop I realized that Pike county was agin me as a lawyer, and I went into politics. There I was flopped agin."

"But 'yo' won't have to go to work, will 'yo', Abe?" queried the colonel.

"Never in this world, kurnel; never in this world. That's what Pike county wants to drive me into, but she shall never succeed."

BREAKING AWAY FROM TRUTH

Two Opinions With Respect to a False Statement Minister Admits He Made.

A curiously interesting question of ethics has arisen over the failure of a minister to secure employment for an erring but repentant woman until he told prospective employers that she was a woman of good character.

He had often been on the point of getting for her the work she needed in order to make an honest living and to regain the moral equilibrium which had been disturbed by her wrongdoing.

But as soon as the minister, in his devotion to the strict letter of the truth, admitted that the woman had sinned, the doors of honest living were closed in her face, the "unco' good" people who were in a position to lend a helping hand refusing to run the risk of "contamination," unwilling to follow the example of him who said to another erring woman: "Go and sin no more."

Now a rather lively local discussion has arisen as to whether the minister was justified under the circumstances, or whether anybody is ever justified under any circumstances, in telling a lie. Perhaps few will deny that if this minister really lied at all he strained the truth in a good cause and that the imposition practiced upon those who refused to give to another the chance of reform which they themselves would have welcomed in their own cases was intended to serve a humane purpose. All who are inclined to take an ultra conservative view of the inviolability of truth might ponder the splendid words of Dickens when he wrote Tom Pinch and the lie that he did only good to another human being:

"There are some falsehoods, Tom, on which men mount, as on bright wings, to heaven. There are truths, cold, bitter, taunting truths, that bind men down to earth. Who would not rather have to fan him in his dying hour the lightest feather of a falsehood such as thine, than all the quills plucked from the sharp porcupine, revengeful truth, since Time began?"

—Kansas City Journal.

Condition Competitors Did Not Seem to Notice Went With Offer of Prize.

The walking craze of a few years ago gave a well-known sporting man an opportunity which he could not resist taking advantage of. He had handbills widely distributed on which was stated:

"A Great Crosby gentleman will give \$50 to the man, woman or child who first succeeds in doing the following task: To walk from the Pierhead (Liverpool) to Crosby village. There each competitor must buy a meat pie and walk around the Big Stone and eat it."

About a hundred entries were received, and the walk took place on Whit Monday. Much excitement prevailed and a great cheer rose as a local pedestrian was seen leading the rest of the crowd. His meat pie was soon eaten as he walked round the stone, and he went to the judge for the \$50.

"Why," exclaimed the judge, "I didn't think you could have done it. The stone seemed too hard to eat."

"What's that got to do with it?" asked the ped.

"Everything to do with it," answered the judge, "and nobody gets the \$50 till they do."—London Tit-Bits.

Mother Kangaroo's Bravery. During a severe drought in a certain section of Australia, the owner of a country station was sitting one evening on the porch when he saw a kangaroo lingering about, alternately approaching and retreating from the house, as if half in doubt and fear what to do.

At length she approached the water pails, and, taking a young one from her pouch, held it to the water to drink.

While her baby was satisfying its thirst the mother was quivering all over with apprehension, for she was but a few feet from the porch where one of her foes was watching her.

The baby having finished drinking, it was replaced in the pouch and the old kangaroo set off at a rapid pace. The spectator was so much impressed by the astonishing bravery of the affectionate mother that he made a vow—and kept it—never again to shoot a kangaroo.

Eccentric Tides. Owing to the effects of shore lines and other influences which are more or less obscure it is very difficult to account for the peculiarities exhibited by tidal waves in various parts of the world.

Interfering waves cause once-a-day tides at Tahiti and in some other places, while on the other hand in the harbors back of the Isle of Wight and in the Tay in Scotland there are three tides in a day. The latter have been ascribed to overtimes, produced by the modification of tidal waves running ashore and resembling the overtones of musical sounds.

Diamonds in a Rat's Nest. Seven years ago Mrs. Charles De-long lost trace of two diamond earrings valued at \$200. Carpenters, remodeling the house, found the jewels in a partition where rats had a nest. Incidentally, an apology was made to a servant who had been indirectly accused of the theft.—Milwaukee Journal.

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MARY and the MEAT TRUST



Mary had a little lamb,
With mint sauce on the side;
When Mary saw the Meat Trust's bill,
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Mary had a little veal—
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Her papa, to pay for the veal,
All morning sorely toiled.

Mary had a little steak—
A porterhouse, quite small.
And when the bill came in, she sighed,
"No dress for me next fall."

Mary had a little roast—
As juicy as could be—
And Mary's papa simply went
Right into bankruptcy.

Mary isn't eating meat;
She has a better plan.
She vows it's ladylike to be
A vegetarian.

The Clutch. "Oh, sir, if you could only give me something to do—any kind of work, so that I may make enough to keep soul and body together!"

It was a beautiful, though emaciated, woman who spoke. The man to whom her remarks were addressed looked at her with surprise.

"Why," he said, "how came it that a young woman of your evident refinement and culture is seeking menial employment?"

"Oh, sir, I will tell you. My father once was prosperous and successful; he made plenty of money and was lavish in his expenditure for the comfort and well-being of the family, but within the last summer a mad desire to succeed in a vain ambition seized upon him, and now—"

The silvery voice broke and tears filled the violet eyes.

"And now," she went on, recovering her composure, "we have nothing!"

"Lord bless me! That is too bad. How did your father lose his money? On the stock market?"

"Oh, no, sir! It was in cantaloupes."

"Cantaloupes? Did he try to corner them?"

"Oh, no, sir! Early in the summer father became possessed of the delusion that he could buy a good one. When they first appeared on the market he would bring one or two home with him of an evening. Each time he cut them open and found them green as gourds he would become more and more aggravated. As the season went on he grew to buying them by the basket. He would bring home a basket of them, and sit down and open them, one by one, talking harshly as he discovered each one to be unfit for human food. In September this habit had grown to alarming proportions. He was now buying them by the crate. He would have a crate shipped to the house each day and would sit up half the night cutting them open and muttering to himself.

He closed his office and spent all his money and all his time among the commission houses, buying cantaloupes as they came into the market, and opening them on the spot. Why, he pawned all mother's jewelry and his watch and diamonds, and he mortgaged the house to a cantaloupe merchant! In October the mortgage was foreclosed and we had to give up our beautiful home and go to live in a tenement. Father actually got to begging pennies on the street corners, and hoarding them until he got enough to buy one of the late cantaloupes. At last we were in the direst penury and want."

"And did your father ever find the good cantaloupe?"

"Oh, yes, sir! He brought it home yesterday, but to our shame, he it told, we were so famished that we ate it!"

A torrent of sobs shook the slender frame, and the strong man at the desk dashed his hand hastily across his eyes to wipe away a suspicious moisture.

"I will give you a position, my poor girl," he said huskily. "But—do you recollect the name of the place where your father bought that good cantaloupe?"

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FALL STYLES

Be sure to get your copy of The Fall Quarterly Style Book before making up any new garments, as it illustrates the latest authoritative Fall Styles. You can get the book at our pattern counter.

New Fall Style Book of Ladies' Home Journal Patterns now on sale at our pattern counter.

Price 20c including any 15c pattern. Coupon good until Nov. 15.

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lie towel. The same rule applies to this.

When you come to think of it, is it not awful to use a towel that some one with sore eyes, catarrh, tuberculosis, scrofula, syphilis, or other terrible and infectious disease has been using? And how are you to know who wiped his eyes, face, nose, or mouth on that same towel? It is repulsive, very when you come to think of it. And it is just such hammering as this that finally succeeds in making you think of it.

The dog is often mentioned as a "man's most faithful friend." But this is no reason why these pets should be allowed to carry contagion to you and your household. Dogs and cats go everywhere about the premises and streets, where filth is, and of the two classes of animals, the dog is the worst in matter of filth. He will gnaw a bone that is swarming with deadly germs, not deadly to him, because his stomach and general makeup is built on another plan from that of the human. But he mixes in with all kinds of nastiness, fights or fondles other dogs and carries germs in his hair, in his mouth and then comes and licks you hand and the hands and faces of the children and thus spreads typhoid, tuberculosis, diphtheria, smallpox, or anything that he has been in contact with.

Do not let people kiss and hug your children. Many a case of consumption has been conveyed by a kiss. There are ways to prevent it without being rude. If you have not that much tact about you, try and achieve it.

The Home Health Club dwells upon these matters because it cannot conscientiously subscribe to any half-way measures so far as the conservation of health, hygiene, sanitation and all such interests are concerned.

Club Notes.

Dear Doctor:

Am past 70 years old. Have been fairly healthy most of my life, but my kidneys are not in good condition this warm weather. Urine is scant, high colored and salty. Urination is not painful, but scant. Am constipated.

S. B. Curtis visited in Sterling last evening.

Arlene Ahrens of Sterling is visiting a few days at the Harms home.

I. H. Wilkin of Nebraska, spent yesterday in Dixon with Walter Kehr.

Chester Pyle of Chicago was in Dixon yesterday calling on the trade. Pete Morsebecker of Chicago was here yesterday.

A. J. Franks of Chicago was here yesterday on business.

Another similar danger is the pub-

ed at times. Eat well, sleep well and do chores.—Mr. E. B.

There are probably two causes for your trouble. First, it is quite likely that you are eating food that is too heavy and too highly concentrated for you. A person of your age must necessarily be careful of what he eats, and especially so during the hot summer season. You should not eat meat oftener than once daily, nor but very little starchy food, such as fried or mashed potatoes, and white bread. Whole wheat bread or graham bread, fresh ripe fruits, vegetables and fresh buttermilk should, in the main, be your diet during the summer.

Second, you are probably not drinking enough water. At your age you should drink freely of water, several glasses daily, the first thing in the morning, between meals, and the last thing at night. And you should see to it that it is not hard or lime water. Distilled or pure filtered rain water would be the best.

Old age is simply ossification, which is caused by an excess of calcareous matter in the veins. Good, pure, filtered rain water is the greatest solvent known. By its use the old age matter in the veins is dissolved to some extent. It also benefits the kidneys and the bladder.

People seldom live to a great age who are forced to use hard water. Those living in lime-stone districts should use filtered rain water.

NELSON.

Aug. 16—Ed. Ortigiesen has returned from a short trip to Sault Ste Marie. It was too cool up there for him, snow being seen in the distance.

Mr. and Mrs. Jule Williams and daughter Leah spent Tuesday night with Dick Phillips and wife and left on Wednesday morning in their auto for South Dakota to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Elza Boorne, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stitzel, for the past two months, left Monday night for her home in Ravenna, Neb.

Mrs. Geo. Onken and daughter, Mrs. Gus Onken, Mrs. Harry Ortigiesen and son and sister, Miss Gertrude Gardner of Chicago spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Small at Prairieville.

Mrs. G. G. Stewart, who has been visiting friends in Dixon about a week, has returned home.

Mrs. George Palmer spent Friday in Belvidere. Mr. Palmer returned with her for a short vacation.

Mrs. Fred Coxwell is quite ill and under the care of a physician. Mr. Coxwell is home for a week as he had an accident while performing his duties as conductor of the work train.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ortigiesen entertained their daughter, Mrs. L. D. Agnew and son, London, also Mrs. Will Seaton and child of DeKalb and Miss Mollie Portenius. The latter will spend her vacation here.

Mrs. Will Jojnt and daughter, Mrs. John Johnson and daughters of Chicago, and Mrs. Nettie Reigle of Sterling spent Monday at the Fred Jojnt home. Mrs. Rockwell, Mrs. Jojnt's mother, remains about the same and is very weak.

Mr. and Mrs. Rubendall entertained Mrs. Rubendall's sisters, Misses Ethel and Hazel Wendle and Chas. Trump of Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hamilton are

Big Remnant Sale Begins Saturday, August 17

We have gone over our entire stock taking out every short length of merchandise consisting of calico, gingham, white goods, curtain net, table linen, toweling, dress goods, silk embdy., laces, muslin, etc., etc. These have been carefully measured and marked in plain figures far below cost. You will find among these remnants many splendid bargains, especially for children's school dresses and household use.

Many garments in our Ready-to-Wear department have been marked below cost in order to clean up before the new Fall garments are put in stock.

All white dresses from \$5.00 to 7.50 value are being closed out at **3.98**

A. L. Geisenheimer

visiting with relatives and friends in Iowa.

John Gleason, operator of the first truck at the N. Y. tower, has returned from a trip to Denver and western points.

Mrs. Fred Ohda and two sons returned from a month's stay in Sterling, where Mrs. Ohda was caring for a sister who is ill.

Mrs. Laura Mooers, son Guy and daughter, Mrs. James Lamb, who are in camp on the Phillips farm, were visited Sunday and Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Collier of Clinton, Ia.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. August Heldt is quite ill with tonsillitis.

H. Rubendall is making substantial cement sidewalks at the school house.

Mrs. F. L. Terwilliger entertained Miss Grace Wood of DeKalb and they attended the Assembly Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Bohlken has been at the home of her son, Henry Bohlken, for a week. His wife is recovering from an operation at the Dixon hospital.

METHODIST CHURCH.

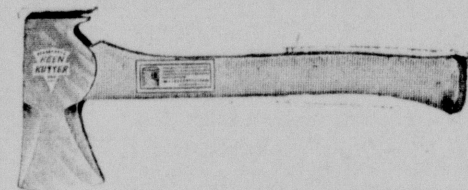
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 10:45. No evening service. Owing to the absence of the pastor the pulpit will be supplied by Rev. W. W. Aylesworth, pastor of the Fourth Street M. E. church in Sterling.

Sam Bietebender of Oregon was in Dixon today.

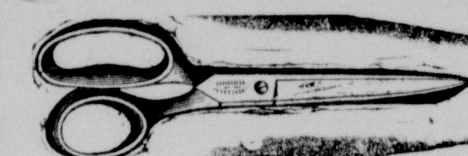
Mary Little Hussie of Franklin Grove was a guest yesterday at the Harry Roe home in this city.

Mrs. F. M. Pierce and children have returned from a three months visit with her brother, in Los Angeles.

KEEN KUTTER CUTLERY & TOOLS

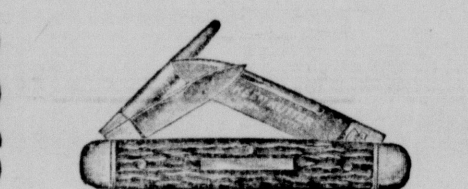


Are the best that money and brains can produce, the prices are reasonable and your money will be paid back if not satisfied. Keen Kutter pocket knives are shown in our stock in great variety. The one shown in the cut has two blades and a leather punch. The punch will cut a clean, round hole in leather the slickest you ever saw. This is one of the best sellers we have. Price \$1.99



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Their Kind.

"I saw some hair-raising performances downtown tonight, Maria." "Good gracious, William! What were they?" "Some bald heads getting rubbed with a tonic."

Would Even Up.

Edith—Pa is immensely pleased to hear you are a poet. Ferdie—Is he? Edith—Oh, very. The last of my lovers he tried to kick was a football player.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 10:30. J. M. Herbst will deliver the sermon. After the services a special meeting will be held for the purpose of selecting a pastor.

Grover Null and two friends of Chicago are guests of John Null. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hansen and daughter Bess of Franklin Grove, were in this city today transacting business.

10 bushel Early Harvest and Dutchess apples—

Saturday 25c per pk.
ORDER EARLY

Clean, Wholesome Meat is our best food. Our Palace Market is sanitary in every respect. All meat handled on marble and glass. It costs you NO MORE to buy meat that is SAFE.

--- Everything In Season ---

A FEW FALL JACKETS to close out. Just what many people want, and now is the time.

Ladies' jackets we have.....2.50, 2.98, 4.50
Ladies' jackets we show.....2.00, 2.50 & 3.75
Children's jackets.....1.00, 1.25, 1.50

WE WANT YOU TO SEE THEM

WE ALWAYS HAVE SOME REAL GOOD THINGS IN OUR GROCERY DEPT.
NEXT WEEK WE OFFER---

20 lbs. best granulated sugar for \$1.00 with each sack of our Perfection, Sunkist and Nekota flour. We make this extraordinary offer to introduce the Best Flour in Dixon.

4 pkg. fresh corn flakes Saturday.....	25c
6 lb. box Silver Gloss starch.....	39c
15c cake Parowax.....	10c
6 sheets Tanglefoot.....	5c
12 large ginger cookies.....	10c
Good California lemons Saturday a doz.....	29c
7 bars Lenox soap Saturday.....	25c
6 cans Lighthouse Cleanser Saturday.....	25c

Only a few of our 10, 12½ & 15c lawn left, all go at yd.....6c
A few nice pieces of flaxon, in nice patterns. 20 & 25c now.....12½c

All our shirt waists in two lots, one lot 98c, one lot \$1.29

All our kimono must go. 85c ones at 49c, one lot at.....19c

Just a few parasols left. Make your daughter happy.....25c, 69c, 98c

Do you want a nice percale or gingham house dress? Prices cut deep.

Prices cut deep on R. & G. corsets. \$1.00 corsets 79c, \$2.00 corsets 1.35

ALL our summer underwear must go. Prices tell.

One lot ladies' sleeveless 25c fine quality vests at.....19c

Children's 50c cream union suits to close out.....35c

Ladies' 50c fine ribbed union suits, splendid goods.....39c

Ladies' 1.00 Merode union suits, white lisle, only.....79c

All our oxfords must go. It will pay you to see them.

Children's oxfords, small sizes.....50c & 59c

Children's sandals.....59c, 69c & 79c

Ladies' oxfords, the \$1.75 and 2.00 kind, we close at.....1.25

Boys' \$2.50 oxfords.....1.98 Men's \$3.50 oxfords at.....2.25

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\$10, 12, 15 & 16.50 white embdy. & voile " at	4.98
50 \$5 and 6.50 tissue gingham and lawn " at	2.49
50 \$3.50 lawn and gingham dresses at	1.98
20 \$5, 6.50 and 7.50 dress skirts in black, blue and mixtures at	1.98
10 ladies' Spring suits at	5.00
1 lot ladies' short jackets at	98c
1 lot ladies' short jackets at	1.98



ST. JAMES NOTES.

Aug. 16 Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Burket and daughter from Lincoln, Neb. and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Burket from Dixon were visiting with friends in St. James this afternoon. They called at the Brick school house. H. K. Burket wanted to see the old place; if there was any change. He used to go to school there.

Miss Deena Grunewald of Chicago, formerly of Oregon, is visiting with Miss Ogie Brown, and friends in St. James.

Miss Ferne Ankeny is taking a vacation.

Miss Nettie Blum and a friend called on Mrs. Carrie Burket this afternoon.

Mrs. Carrie Burket went to Dixon today.

Mrs. Ed. Miller was in Dixon today.

The young folks and all who were

entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bahen last week, wish to thank them for their genuine kindness and hospitality.

Ed Shippert was in Dixon today.

Harry Shippert is hauling rock for the hard roads.

I verily believe in protecting the harmless birds, and they should be protected by law. But when it comes to protecting snakes I am not in it. The very idea of anyone saying that a certain kind of snakes are harmless and beneficial to farmers, that they catch rats and mice! I'll take the rats and mice yet.

I generally protect all I see with a garden hoe. A snake is a snake, harmless or no harmless.

Mrs. Martha Shippert purchased several good cows this week.

Miss Stella Shippert and sister Lil-

lian were visiting with their aunt, Mary Shippert, at Nachusa this afternoon.

MEAT SPECIALS For Saturday.

Best Pot Roast, lb. 12 1/2c
Good Boiling Meat 10c
Pork Chops 18c
Pork Steak 15c
Pork Roast 15c
We use all Chicago meats.

STITZEL BROS.

Mrs. Sam Purtemon of Grand Detour went to Franklin Grove today to visit her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Krug have returned from a visit in Ashton.

Elton Luckey of Ashton is here today on business.

Leonard Bartoli of the Morrison Plumber company of Chicago is here today.

Church Announcement

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

316 First St.
Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject, Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday testimony meeting at 8 p. m.
Reading rooms at 316 First St., open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. All Christian Science literature may be read and procured here.
Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

A baptismal service will be held Sunday afternoon. If there are others who desire to obey this ordinance they should make the fact known to the pastor.
The annual convention of the Church of Christ in Illinois will be held in Centralia September 2-5. Our congregation should be represented in the state assembly. Plan to go.
The minister will speak from a chart Sunday morning. His subject will be "God's Eternal Purpose." You cannot afford to miss seeing the chart. Bring your friends.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
The twelfth Sunday after Trinity.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.
Morning prayer, 11:00.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, GRAND DETOUR.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
Evening prayer, 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00.
The newly furnished audience room will be used for the first time. The pastor will preach upon "The Grandeur of the Church." Special musical numbers will be given. A full attendance of the members is desired. No evening service.

ZION'S LUTHERAN.

Sunday school, 2 p. m.
Church service, 3 p. m.
F. D. Altman will conduct the services.

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. O. E. Strock, Supt.
Public worship at 10:45 a. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.
Rev. John Williams will have charge of the services for the next two weeks in the absence of the pastor, who has gone to Hinsdale sanitarium for treatment.
A large attendance for Oakdale Camp is assured. Several from Dixon will tent on the grounds. General Secretary E. T. Bailey will begin his Bible teaching Friday morning. The management is greatly pleased to have been able to secure this talented young man's services.
Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. Third and Madison Ave.
Olin F. Shaw, Minister.
Morning theme at 11 o'clock, "The False Shepherds of Israel."
Evening theme at 7:45, "For Others' Sake."
Sunday school at 10 a. m. and C. W. meeting at 7 p. m.
Cordial invitation to all services.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Main service at 10:30.
The subject of the sermon will be: "The Great Church Council at Jerusalem." Acts 15.
Choir practice this evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Emerson O. Brawshaw, Pastor.
The regular pamphlet will commence with Sunday's services. Morning service subject, "The Individual Mission of the Individual." Evening, "The Power of Love."
Sunday school at 9:45.

CHICAGO ROAD NEWS.

Aug. 16—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallace were in Dixon Thursday. Mrs. Kramer was a Dixon shopper Thursday.
Francis Miller was out to his farm Friday.
John DuBois was in Dixon Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Huyett attended the funeral of Mrs. Martha Gross in Bradford last Thursday.
Lou Phillips met with a slight accident to his wagon last week. One of his horses fell on the tongue and broke it. Lester Hoyle, at whose

Getting on in the World

is a matter of vast personal interest to each and every one of us. There is a wholesome joy in making headway in the world of dollars; in feeling one's horizon of poverty being pushed back—pushed farther and farther away. Getting on in the world means growth, material growth; a broader grasp of affairs and a larger confidence in one's ability to do the things which count; the things which make for the upbuilding of our community—certainly a matter of personal interest to every property owner, every tax payer, every young man and every young woman in our town and the surrounding country.

Do YOU wish to join the ranks of those who are getting on in the world? It is not so hard as you may imagine—just a little practical application of the virtue of thrift, a cutting out of your unnecessary expenses, the saving of your money and the starting of an account with the

City National Bank

place he was stopping, help him fix the tongue so he was able to proceed on his route.

Lester Hoyle was a Dixon caller Monday.

John Huyett and wife were in town Saturday.

There are two threshing machines in the neighborhood today. One is at the John Huyett farm and the other at Charles Gross and Hollister places.

STREETS IN BAD CONDITION.

Dixon, Ill., Aug. 15, 1912.
Editor Telegraph:
I was very much pleased to read your comments on the talk of improvements on our streets. The streets in Dixon are certainly in bad shape. Nature has done wonders for Dixon, but the citizens have not done their share. For a good many years we have always had a little patching done and along comes the watering cart and turns the street into a mortar bed and none of our city fathers seems to pay much attention to it. I would call their attention to Third street being ruined by too much water.

Public Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of School District Number Twenty-five, in Township 22, Range 9, East of the 4th P. M., in Lee County, Illinois, known as the "Stony Point" District, will receive sealed bids until Monday, August 26th, 1912, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the moving of the school house from its present location to a location selected by the Board of Directors in the northwest corner of the East Half of Lot Seventy-two of Moller's Survey, in the said Township and Range; for the excavation for a basement for said school house on the site where it is to be moved and the construction of a cellar or basement and wall according to certain specifications now on file with the President of the said Board of Directors.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and same may be submitted to John Collins, President of said Board at Dixon, Illinois, R. F. D. No. 3.

JOHN COLLINS,
President.

A TAX PAYER. C. G. Lengel, Clerk.

We Will Save You Money

On Aug. 17th, we will open our new Shoe Store with a complete line of men's, ladies' and children's shoes, which we will absolutely guarantee.

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\$2.50 to \$3.00 Shoes

## DON'T FAIL TO GET A "GREEN COUPON"

On Opening Day. Instead of a trifling souvenir, we will give everyone who visits our store a coupon, which entitles them to a 10 per cent discount on any shoe in the house, if redeemed within 15 days.

The ladies will appreciate our "Rest Room" which will be neatly fitted, and which they are at liberty to make use of at any time

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## WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Special village election on Tuesday, August 20th. Come and vote.

The dance given in the opera house by the baseball club will be a golden opportunity for all to enjoy a good time.

You cannot beat our prices on the Chicago dailies if you take advantage of our clubbing offers.

Chris Henkel is again at work in the Meyer store after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Eugene Boucon was transacting business in this village on Tuesday forenoon.

Mrs. Louise Wigum of Berwyn is visiting at the bedside of her aged father this week. His condition is very poorly and his strength is ebbing lower with each succeeding day.

John Burhardt was doing business in West Brooklyn on Tuesday forenoon.

Elmo Litts was an evening passenger for Amboy on Saturday to renew his acquaintances with his many old friends after such a long absence.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Dysart were visitors in this city on Tuesday morning.

Frank Dolan went to Amboy on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Zimmerlein were calling on friends here Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorrenson went to Harmon Saturday night where they remained over Sunday with relatives.

Miss Taressa July is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Mrs. G. H. Clark was visiting at the home of Mrs. Chris July Friday.

Nicholas Meister was in Compton Wednesday.

Jacob Kessel was in Amboy Saturday evening.

The Misses Anna Schulthies and Flora Murdock were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Meister on Saturday.

The barn raising at the Dix home last week was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willey and daughter Vula of Amboy and Miss Eunice Wedlock of Shaws were visiting at the Nick Meister home Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Stout of Compton is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chris July, and family this week.

George Meister has been out in the country helping to thresh this week.

Mrs. Eddie Clark and daughters, Gertie and Blanche, were visiting at the George Clark home one day last week.

Mrs. John Acker and son Walter were visiting here on Monday afternoon.

Many of our friends assist us very materially in compiling this news letter each issue by sending us items from time to time. This we appreciate very much and wish to thank them for their interest in the work. Again we will ask: Let all of you who know of visitors either coming or going from one place to another communicate them to this office and help us put out a more interesting letter each issue.

A. F. Jeanguenat was transacting business in West Brooklyn Tuesday forenoon.

Amel Henry was an evening passenger for Amboy on Saturday where he visited for a couple of days with old friends.

Mrs. Chris Krahenbuhl was the guest of friends in this village last Tuesday.

Therilo Clink of Amboy, who has been spending the day Saturday in West Brooklyn, was an evening passenger for his home town on the night train.

Frank Hoerner was transacting business in West Brooklyn on Monday.

Mrs. Sarah A. Smith is visiting in Savanna this week with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stiles and family. Miss Annis Abell is taking her place in the general office until her return.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Halbmaier were visitors in West Brooklyn Monday evening.

Claude Frank returned to his home in Plano Monday evening after visiting for a week with his many relatives and friends in West Brooklyn and vicinity.

David Burkhardt was transacting business in West Brooklyn Tuesday morning.

Henry Sonderoth of Mendota was over to our town for a visit with his brothers, Joseph, Peter and Michael on Monday.

Mrs. Mayne Finn and daughter,

Mary, visited on Monday and Tuesday in our city with her sisters, Mrs. W. J. Long and Mrs. Oliver L. Gehant, and their husbands. Her home is at Harmon.

Mrs. E. E. Thompson was transacting business in town Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane July and daughter, who have been spending the past year in this neighborhood with their many relatives and friends, expect soon to start for their home in Ohio, which is at Ponderceek.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. W. Bieschke of Viola were calling on friends here Monday.

Frank Halbmaier has rented his home place to his sons, William, Paul and Martin and together with his family, exclusive of the three boys, will move up town into the Cook residence, which he secured at the time of his purchase of the Isaac Cook farm. This will be a big convenience for himself and family as they will be much nearer town and will have less work to do. We are glad they are moving so they can enjoy themselves better.

We learn that Matthew Maier is soon to have a new Maxwell automobile which he is securing through the F. M. Yocum agency of this city. Mr. Maier will have a good car and we predict much enjoyment for himself and family with it.

The storm on Saturday evening again prevented the band concert. The weather was such that a person would hardly dare venture out of doors, not that it was cold or a blizzard, but simply because of the very nature of the rain. It was one of the disagreeable days when everyone, self and family with it, with the possible exception of ducks, prefer to remain by the fireside.

If man's power of seeing was as good as his retrospection or knowing what has happened, everything would be the cause of much less worry and greater peace of mind in this world. Just this uncertainty, just this suspense and doubt is exactly the reason why the insurance companies are existing today. They are to protect the people as much as possible from all these existing conditions regarding the welfare of their property. There are life insurance companies that protect the families and provide for them in case of the sudden demise of a supporting member of the family; there are life stock insurance companies whose aim is to protect a man's investment in his horses and other animals; there are fire, lightning and tornado insurance companies whose business is to carry the risk for the owner lest his home be destroyed or other destructible property be damaged and ruined while in his possession. Every man believes in protection and so every man should insure his property. And above all take out life insurance so that there need be no homeless widows nor orphan children—leave an income for their livelihood and education. That means much more than dollars to you now. It is easy to have life insurance nowadays when companies like the Illinois Life Insurance company are guaranteeing you an 18 per cent income investment up on your insurance premium every year and a refund of your money at the expiration of your policy if you wish to cash it in together with all its accrued earnings. This is the best investment possible and is the means of starting a savings account for the one who carries such an insurance policy. Again we repeat, every person should have an old line life insurance policy, and you cannot go wrong by putting it in the Illinois Life company. Then you should insure your homes, your possessions, and your investment by carrying live stock insurance as well as fire, lightning and tornado insurance. It is very handy for the people of this vicinity to provide for their insurance needs for the Henry F. and Oliver L. Gehant agency in West Brooklyn handle all these various branches of insurance and solicit your business. They invite you to open an account with them and learn how good they can care for you. They believe in low rates and good companies, good service and attention. They want your business and are certain they can save you money. Do not renew your present policy until you have called upon them for figures and you will never insure anywhere else as long as they are in business.

Leon Lauer was in town from Sublette on last Monday.

The West Brooklyn Volunteer Fire company held their regular monthly meeting in the city hall on Monday night.

### Notice.

The hunters that killed about 12 and three white turkeys last Sunday evening between 5 and 6 o'clock in Frank Chaon's corn field will please call at the bank in West Brooklyn and settle the damages, a bill of which has been placed in their office. This settlement is to be done by the first day of September and if not made by that date the punishment will be meted out according to the full extent of the law. The parties were seen and are known by two different persons.

Miss Elizabeth Blackburn of Harmon is spending the week end in West Brooklyn with her sister, Mrs. Oliver L. Gehant, and other relatives and friends. Mrs. Gehant has been very ill with an attack of quinsy and the visit at this time is to help care for her sister.

Dr. Duran and Peter Wagner from Steward were visitors here Wednesday to secure signers upon the petition of the Inlet Swamp drainage district to succeed B. F. Johnson. Mr. Johnson is out to succeed himself again for another three years so we should say that there will be a merry race for the next few months between the two gentlemen to gather in the most signers and biggest acreage on their respective petitions.

On Tuesday the biggest share of our citizens who could find transportation went to Dixon to attend the funeral of the late Joseph E. Henry Jr.

Miss Susie Williamson of Inlet visited at the home of Mrs. Prosper Gander in our city on last Wednesday.

Harry Hildmann had the mason contractors busy on Tuesday repairing the big chimney on his residence which was struck by lightning and damaged during an electrical storm several weeks ago. Of course Henry was insured with the Gehant agency at the bank and was well paid for his loss.

### John Oester, Sr.

Again all West Brooklyn was saddened within a week when on Tuesday afternoon the news came from the Oester home of the death of John Oester Sr. The venerable gentleman had fought death for eight days but had to submit to its terrible pangs during a sinking spell after the dinner hour on Tuesday. He had been speechless since August 6th when he was taken with a stroke of paralysis and had lost control of his right side altogether. His condition during all these days was pitiful and it grieved his family very much. How much consolation and satisfaction they could have had if he only could have imparted to them his wants, or had been able to say a last farewell. But he must content himself with lying there and allow his good wife and faithful children and other friends to comfort him as best they could. Since the preceding day his condition became such that the doctors foretold the end before many hours. He will leave a vacant chair at the family home where his good fatherhood can never be replaced. His friends about town will miss him for it was always his good nature to be visiting with them and spending his idle hours.

Mr. Oester was 79 years of age and had resided in West Brooklyn ever since retiring from his farm about 12 or 15 years ago. His industry has acquired for him a happy home and property. He has reared a family of 12 children, all of whom carry the respect of the training that is instilled by good parents. Most of them reside in this neighborhood and were at the bedside of their father when he breathed his last. The shock was nearly fatal to his good wife and all afternoon she was very ill. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the Union cemetery at this place. The writer extends his sincere sympathy to the sorrowing family and other relatives and friends.

### She Knew.

The city girl, on her first vacation in the country, was sitting at the side of the first beau she had ever had, looking at the first full moon she had ever seen in a perfectly clear sky. "Billy," she squealed ecstatically, "how perfectly delightfully dear, and yet how horribly sweetly sad is the music of those toadstools, out there in the woods!"

"Why, darling," breathed William, who had been in the country before, once—"you can't mean 'toadstools.' The noise you hear is being made by crickets."

"Of course," answered the city girl—"you know what I mean. I get the names mixed up. I knew it was something to sit on!"

La Follettes to Stump for Suffrage. Madison, Wis., Aug. 16.—The La Follette family, including Mrs. La Follette and daughter, are going to take the stump in the state this fall in behalf of women's suffrage.

## INAUGURATION OF IRON AGE

Authorities Differ as to the Time and Place of Its First Introduction to the World.

Some authorities incline to the view that the iron age was inaugurated in Asia or in Africa. The investigations of recent years have pointed to the conclusion that it was not worked in Egypt until the ninth century before Christ, or in Libya until 450 B. C.; that the Semite adopted its use still later, and that it has been known in Uganda only within the last five or six centuries. There are Chinese records of date about four centuries before Christ that mention iron. Bronze weapons were employed in China until about 700 A. D.

It is thought that the metallurgy of iron must have originated in Central Europe, especially in Noricum, which approximately represented modern Austria and Bavaria. Only at Hallstatt and in Bosnia and Transylvania, from which countries the Achaeans and Dorians are supposed to have migrated to Hellas, are found evidences of a gradual introduction of iron, at first as an ornament applied to the bronze which it ultimately replaced. Everywhere else iron was introduced in no gradual fashion, a fact that implies a foreign origin.

Metallic iron was known in Egypt in remote antiquity, but no doubt it was worked as flints are worked, by cutting or chipping, and was not smelted. In other words, it was the metallurgy, not the knowledge of iron, that originated in Central Europe.

## DOCTOR FEELS HIS HANDICAP

Recognizes Distinct Limitations When Called On to Cope With Modern "Scientific" Babe.

Because the doctor did not put on his seven-league boots and start the minute he heard there was a sick child in the neighborhood, the woman who had summoned him accused him of inhumanity. But the doctor protested that he was not inhuman. "I am not anxious to respond," he said, "because the parents will not do anything I tell them to and will get a doctor more to their liking later in the day. How do I know? You as good as told me so yourself. You said the youngster was a scientifically reared baby; never knew a kiss or a cuddle or a germ or a tummyache until the present attack. Scientific babies are the despair of old-fashioned practitioners. The kinds of babies he is used to are those that depend mostly upon mothering to make them well. If an old-fashioned baby bumps his head or stubs his toe or mashes his thumb, just let mother kiss the bruise and it will stop hurting. Having been brought up on such nonsensical notions and believing in them still to a certain extent, there is no denying that in treating the new-style baby the old doctor is not a great success."

### Concerning the Mole.

Naturalists aver that among common animals few have been less studied in their life history than the mole. Accordingly a British scientist has turned his attention to the mole, with the result that some interesting data concerning this queer creature have been collected.

Under the edifice which the mole constructs above the surface of the ground will always be found a series of tunnels. A curious feature, almost invariably found, is a perpendicular run penetrating about a foot below the bottom of the nest and then turning upward to meet another run. A mole is never, one authority contends, found in his nest, although it may be yet warm from his body when opened. Guided by smell and hearing, a mole frequently locates the nest of a partridge or pheasant above his run and, penetrating it from below, eats the eggs. The adult mole is practically blind, but there are embryonic indications that the power of sight in the race has deteriorated.—Harper's Weekly.

### Opened His Eyes.

Sweet Master Chaucer Epicus and Amaryllis fair, went strolling by the mill-stream—a most idyllic pair. "My loveliest of loves!" broke forth the swain's excited muse. "Permit me to extol the charms which thus my soul enthuse. Your little ears, so shelly pink for lovers' praise were made; no fairy feet than thine more neat, o'er tripped o'er moonlit glade; your eyes are like twin stars of night; like fine-spun gold's your hair; your lips put Cupid's bow to scorn; your teeth are past compare." But here a playful gust of wind came gayly through the trees, and whisked his darling's hat and hair away upon its breeze! Alas! why did the maiden then permit herself to shout, and cause her lover added pain to see her teeth fall out?

### Lucky to Get Anything.

The law of the land had spoken, and the verdict was \$5,000 damages.

"Five thousand dollars!" muttered the senior partner in the legal firm who had managed the plaintiff's case. "Not so bad."

"I think it pretty good," said the junior partner. "How much shall we give our client?"

"H'm! Say \$300," said the senior thoughtfully. "No, stop a minute!"

"Well?"

"We mustn't be too hasty," said the successful lawyer slowly. "Perhaps you'd better write and promise to pay him the three hundred."

## ALL GRIST FOR THE BRIDE

Other Women in the House Have Small Chance of Receiving Brides That Are Sent Home.

An uptown woman who nearly got stalled in a Ninth street car with a bundle of merchandise gave this reason for carrying home her own parcels, according to the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"There is a prospective bride in our boarding-house," she said. "Everything in the dry-goods line is grist to the mill of the woman about to be married. Other women who have the misfortune to live in the same house shop under difficulties. The only way they can insure the enjoyment of their own purchases is to carry them home."

"If the things are delivered the bride snaps them up. Possibly she has no real shoplifting propensities, but circumstances combine to make her a thief. Servants bring to her room all parcels of whatever size and shape that come to that front door. So many of the things do belong to her that to read the label or listen to what the delivery boy says is considered superfluous exertion. And the bride is equally disdainful of a preliminary examination. Egotistically she rips off wrappers and digs into contents."

"Yesterday I heard her raising the roof because a certain shop had sent her six pairs of black silk stockings. Instead of the pink, blue and tan she had ordered. After she had sent the stockings back and had the money refunded I discovered the stockings were mine. I cannot afford to contribute these parcels to the bride's wardrobe, so I am carrying them home."

## FOUND AN ECONOMICAL PAIR

Most Joyous Occasion of Life Failed to Make Them "Loosen Up," to Young Clergyman's Dismay.

A clergyman in Cherryvale tells Mrs. Moffett that when he was a struggling young preacher and a marriage fee looked like several square meals to him, he was called upon to officiate at the wedding of a wealthy young farmer to the daughter of another farmer, also very wealthy and widely known in the county. The night of the wedding was a stormy one and the train to the little country station was two hours late, so the preacher hired a rig and drove the entire 12 miles, getting there just in time to miss supper. The wedding was a brilliant affair and after the ceremony the groom called the minister aside and told him how much he appreciated his coming through the storm and handed him a \$2 bill—not enough to pay the team hire. As the preacher sat stunned, gazing at the money, the bride's father came in and the groom left. "How much did he give you?" asked the father. "Only two dollars," replied the preacher. "Why, that is a shame," exclaimed the father. "After all your trouble, too. He's terrible close with money. Don't say a word to any one, but take this." And as the old man slipped away the preacher, much touched, opened his hand and found a \$1 bill.—Kansas City Star.

### Honesty Increasing.

On her return from marketing, the young matron of the upper West side said to a caller: "I believe the sense of honesty is increasing in New York, at least in this locality. This morning I called the attention of a salesman to a small mistake he had made in giving me change, the mistake being in my favor. The proprietor, who was standing near, said to me: 'You're honest. You'll get along all right.' Not so many years ago the thought that seemed far too prevalent in this country was that only some clever form of dishonesty could 'get along all right.' The merchant who could trick a customer was supposed to be the smart fellow, and it was assumed an honest person was sure to get the little end of everything. I am delighted to find even one man who realizes that honesty is actually indispensable to success, and it is especially pleasing to find him in a place where I can deal with him regularly."—New York Press.

### Tantalum Pens.

Pens for writing purposes are being manufactured today in Germany by a process which is exciting some curiosity. The trouble found with steel pens is that they oxidize easily and the ink sticks to them. This fault is not to be found with gold pens; but, on the other hand, these are too flexible to be entirely satisfactory. Moreover, in order to form a point suitable for writing purposes, the material of that part of the pen has to be mixed with some hard metal like iridium and this operation is both complicated and expensive. This new pen is of tantalum and comes to the manufacturer in the form of a black powder. The pen that is made from this has the tenacity of steel and the flexibility of gold.—Harper's Weekly.

### Appropriate.

Gazing at a group of nine children gathered about a small stoop, an old lady called one of the little girls. "Are all of these children your sisters and brothers?" she asked. "Yes, mum," replied the youngster. "What is the largest one named?" "Maxie, mum."

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## NAT GOODWIN INJURED

FAMOUS ACTOR MAY DIE AS RE-  
SULT OF ACCIDENT.

Loses Control of Skiff Near Los An-  
geles in Heavy Sea—Skull  
Is Fractured.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 16.—Nat  
C. Goodwin, the actor, was seriously  
and probably fatally injured at Rocky  
Point, twelve miles south of Heumene,  
when he lost control of the skiff in  
which he was riding and was drawn  
into the breakers. He was thrown on  
the rocks and, as he tried to swim  
away, was dashed back against them  
by the boat as it was hurled ashore.  
Goodwin was alone in the boat, in  
which he had left the landing more  
than an hour before. Shortly after  
he had rowed away from shore a wind  
which caused a heavy swell came up  
and, despite the actor's efforts to  
keep his craft out of danger, he was  
gradually drawn nearer the rocks.

As it struck the boat rebounded  
and Goodwin either was thrown or  
leaped from it, striking on his side  
across one of the rocks.  
He was battered on the rocks sev-  
eral times before the water finally  
threw him upon the sands, where he  
remained, unconscious, until witnesses  
of the accident were able to reach him  
over the tortuous path they had to  
use to that part of the shore.

He was carried to a hotel at Rocky  
Point and was given attention by a  
local physician, who expressed belief  
that his skull had been fractured and  
that he had suffered internal injuries.

24,000 ASK DEITZ'S PARDON

Gov. McGovern Receives Petition for  
Release From Prison of "De-  
fender of Cameron Dam."

Madison, Wis., Aug. 16.—Containing  
more than 24,000 signatures of people  
from all portions of the state, the ap-  
plication of John Dietz, the "defender  
of Cameron dam" for pardon, was re-  
ceived. It was presented to Governor  
McGovern, who has taken it under  
advisement. It is not expected that  
the governor will announce his deci-  
sion for some time.

Denver Police in Shake-Up.  
Denver, Colo., Aug. 16.—As a result  
of the shooting of Leo L. Fike of Lin-  
coln, Neb., Monday night, a complete  
shakeup of the Denver police depart-  
ment is contemplated by the fire and  
police board. All clubs have been  
taken away from policemen.

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## NEWS OF ILLINOIS

A Telegraphic Chronicle of State Happenings.

### NAMES NEW FARM TEACHERS

Three New Professors Are Added to College of Agriculture by Board of Trustees of University of Illinois.

Champaign, Aug. 16.—The board of trustees of the University of Illinois have authorized three new professorships in the college of agriculture. They are in landscape art, in animal pathology and in dairy husbandry. The appointment of an associate and an instructor in landscape art also was authorized. Last year a department of forestry was created, but the chair was not filled at that time. Bethel Stewart Pickett, an old Illinois graduate student and assistant, has resigned as head of the department of horticulture at the New Hampshire agricultural college to become assistant professor of pomology at the University of Illinois. He brings an assistant with him from New Hampshire, J. J. Gardner, who will be an instructor in pomology.

**Democratic Club Is Formed.**  
Springfield, Aug. 16.—The Young Men's Democratic Club of Illinois was launched at a meeting held here by representatives of thirteen of the twenty-five congressional districts. Officers chosen for four years were:

President—Thomas Allen, Jacksonville.

Vice-President—Morgan L. Davies, Chicago.

Secretary—Simon Kellerman, Edwardsville.

Treasurer—Harry Studdle, Litchfield.

State Organizer—William Lloyd Kelley, Shelbyville.

Vice-presidents were named for thirteen of the twenty-five congressional districts, as follows:

Thirteenth—William J. Cough, Freeport.

Fourteenth—Charles C. Chain, Bushnell.

Fifteenth—C. C. Craig, Galesburg.

Sixteenth—Ben L. Smith, Pekin.

Seventeenth—James Cook, Pontiac.

Eighteenth—Charles Moisant, Kanakake.

Nineteenth—Grover C. Hoff, Clinton.

Twentieth—W. C. Howe, Jacksonville.

Twenty-first—Joseph Rizzle, Staunton.

Twenty-second—T. C. Looner, Edwardsville.

Twenty-third—P. C. Lecrone, Effingham.

Twenty-fourth—C. C. Kuykendall, Carmi.

Twenty-fifth—H. E. Spann, Vienna.

Vice-presidents for the remaining twelve districts will be named by the officers of the organization.

### Boy Wrecks Train for Fun.

Aurora, Aug. 16.—Lawrence Gilman, eleven years old, admitted to the police that he opened a switch on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad and sat in a window of his mother's house to see what would happen. He saw a passenger train crash into a train of freight cars standing on a side track. He hid his face and moaned, and when he dared to look again saw people jumping out of the cars and running up and down the track, while others supported a man apparently badly hurt. The injured man was Benton Herrington, a fireman, who suffered two broken ribs.

### To Revive Canal Trade.

Joliet, Aug. 16.—Representatives of Illinois manufacturers and shippers began a trip down the Illinois and Michigan canal for the purpose of reviving canal trade. John M. Glenn of Chicago, secretary of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, and J. B. Bassett, assistant United States engineer of government work at Moline, were in charge of the party. Mr. Glenn asserted that the revival of the canal trade would mean reductions in shipping rates.

### Former Fire Chief Dies.

Danville, Aug. 16.—Guy Bridges, who while chief of the Danville fire department was stricken by fumes while fighting fire in a drug store basement five years ago, died at Pasadena, Cal., where he had been for the past year. After being stricken by fumes Mr. Bridges from a large robust man became an invalid, tuberculosis finally developing. He was compelled to resign fire chief position shortly after. Burial in Danville.

### Man Killed by Lightning.

Ridgway, Aug. 16.—Jesse Cobb of Marion, forty-five years old, was killed by lightning in the Jesse McLean barn south of Ridgway. The barn, worth \$1,500, was destroyed, also one horse and implements. Cobb had sought shelter from rain with five others, all of whom escaped injury.

### Freeport Banker Dead.

Freeport, Aug. 16.—C. O. Collman, one of the founders of the German Insurance company at Freeport, defunct, and president of the German bank, which he also assisted in organizing, is dead, aged ninety years.

### Paralysis Kills Pioneer.

Belvidere, Aug. 16.—Myron W. Perkins, sixty-three years of age, pioneer resident of Illinois, died at Emily, Minn., of paralysis. He was stricken while visiting at Eagle Lake.

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State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, September Term, 1912.

John M. Krug vs. Robert Knapp, Senior, Phoebe Knapp, Stephen Knapp, Willard D. Knapp, A. Adelbert Knapp, Robert Knapp, Junior, Clifford Knapp, Myrtle Knapp Zeller, Eliza Knapp Linscott, Amelia Knapp Gooch, Anna Knapp, George Knapp and William G. Krugg, Administrators of the estate of Mae Knapp Krug, deceased.—In Chancery, Gen. No. 2973.

Affidavit of non-residence of Anna Knapp, Amelia Knapp Gooch and George Knapp pleaded with the above defendants having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 16th day of August, 1912, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the Third Monday of the month of September, A. D. 1912, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

WM. B. McMAHAN,

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Dixon, Illinois August 16th, 1912.  
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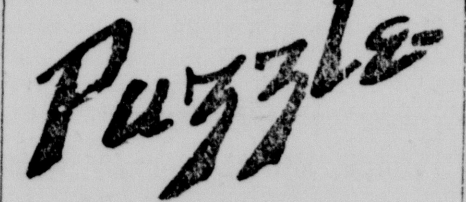
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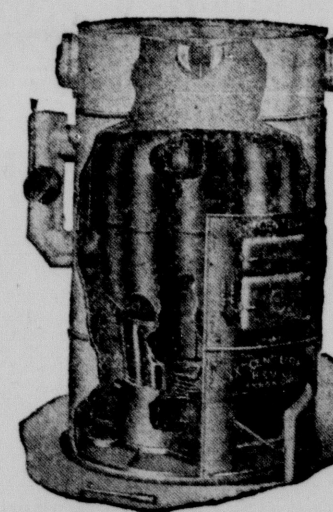
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